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MINISTRY OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

(Department of Food)

ORDER

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G.S.R. 1158.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (2) of section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Central Government hereby makes the following Order, namely:—

1. Short Title, Extent and Commencement.—(1) This Order may be called the Rice (Uttar Pradesh) Price Control Order, 1958.

(2) It extends to the Districts of the State of Uttar Pradesh specified in Schedule I to this Order.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

2. Maximum prices at which rice may be sold.—(1) The maximum prices at which Arwa (Raw) and Sela (Parboiled) rice of Grades II, IIA, III and IV specified in column (1) of Schedule II to this Order may be sold in wholesale quantities in any locality to which this Order extends shall be as specified in the corresponding entries in column (2) of the said Schedule.

(2) For the purposes of sub-clause (1),—

(a) the prices specified are exclusive of the cost of gunny bags;

(b) a maund is equivalent in weight to 82 $\frac{2}{7}$ lbs;

(c) 'sale in wholesale quantities' means sale in quantities exceeding ten maunds in any one transaction;

(d) 'Grade II', 'Grade IIA', 'Grade III' and 'Grade IV' respectively mean any one of the varieties of rice specified in Schedule III to this Order and included in the respective grade and produced in the districts shown against the variety concerned;

(e) the prices specified are for fair average quality conforming to the specification prescribed in Schedule IV to this Order applicable to the respective grade of rice; for rice below the fair average quality, the maximum prices shall be determined by reducing the specified prices by the amounts of cuts indicated in the said specification applicable to the respective grade of rice.

SCHEDULE I

1. Mainpuri.
2. Saharanpur.
3. Muzaffarnagar.
4. Dehra Dun.
5. Banda.
6. Etawah.
7. Fatehpur.
8. Kanpur.
9. Gonda.
10. Bahraich.
11. Basti.
12. Varanasi.
13. Gorakhpur.
14. Hardoi.
15. Lakhimpur Kheri.
16. Pilibhit.
17. Shahjahanpur.
18. Badaun.
19. Naini Tal.
20. Rampur.
21. Rae Bareli.
22. Sitapur.
23. Bara Banki.

SCHEDULE II

Grades of rice	Maximum price per maund	
1	2	
	(a) <i>Arwa</i> (Raw) Rs.	(b) <i>Sela</i> (Parboiled) Rs.
Grade II	18.75	18.25
Grade IIA	19.75	19.25
Grade III	16.75	16.25
Grade IV	15.00	14.50

SCHEDULE III

Varieties of rice to which grade is linked

Districts	Grade II	Grade IIA	Grade III	Grade IV
1	2	3	4	5
Gonda Bahraich Basti Varanasi Gorakhpur	Maldaha, Latera and superior Ram-bhog, hand-hulled or machine-hulled in Basti, Bahraich and Gonda Districts	Nil	Didai or Didwa true to its type or its equivalent, hand or machine-hulled in Basti, Bahraich and Gonda Districts	Varieties inferior to Didwa or Didai having white rice including Bhadam.
Banda Etawah Fatehpur Kanpur	Samhalu true to its type or its equivalent.	Nil	Safeda or Lakra true to their type or their equivalent	Ram Karauni, Bhadam true to their type or their equivalent
Mainpuri Saharanpur Muzaffarnagar Dehra Dun	Nil.	Ram Ajwain Ram-unia.	Lakra or Safeda true to their type or their equivalent.	Gadra or Bhadam true to their type or their equivalent.
Hardoi Lakhimpur Kheri Pilibhit Shahjahanpur Badaun Naini Tal Rampur Rae Bareilly Sitapur Bara Banki	Badshapasand or Jhulma true to their type or their equivalent.	Nil	Anjuna, Gajraj true to their type or their equivalent	Banki or Bhadam true to their type or their equivalent.

SCHEDULE IV

Specifications for fair average quality rice and rates of cut for admixtures and impurities exceeding tolerance limits

Fair average quality rice of any Grade means rice of that Grade in which admixtures or impurities, if any, do not exceed the tolerance limits specified in the table below for Arwa (Raw) or Sela (Parboiled) rice of that Grade:—

Sl No	Particulars of admixture or impurity	Free tolerance limit (per cent)			Rate at which cuts shall be imposed for admixtures or impurities exceeding the tolerance limits specified in columns (3) (4) and (5) applicable to the respective grade of rice
		Grades II and IIA	Grade III	Grade IV	
1	2	3	4	5	6

(A) *Arwa (Raw) rice*

1	Dirt	0.25	0.5	0.5	Up to 1% at full value at double value plus cleaning charges at 10 nP per maund.
2	Beekens	20	27	40	Up to 4% at half value at full value Over 5%

1	2	3	4	5	6
3	Fragments	4	8	10	Up to 2% at half value. Over 2% at 2/3 value.
4	Half-hulled, under-milled and inferior rices.	12	18	18	Up to 2% at 1/3 value. Over 2% at half value.
5	Red grains	1	2	4	Up to 1% at 2/3 value. Over 1% at full value.
6	Damaged and discoloured including chalky grains.	2	3	3	Up to 1% at 2/3 value. Over 1% at full value.
7	Paddy (rice in husk) .	0.25	0.25	0.25	Any excess at full value.

(B) *Sela (Parboiled) rice*

1	Dirt	0.25	0.25	0.25	Up to 1% at full value. Over 1% at double value plus cleaning charges at 10 nP per maund.
2	Brokens	15	15	20	Up to 5% at half value. Over 5% at full value.
3	Fragments	3	4	5	Up to 2% at half value. Over 2% at 2/3 value.
4	Half-hulled or under-milled and inferior rices.	12	12	14	Up to 2% at 1/3 value. Over 2% at half value.
5	Red grains	2	2	4	Up to 1% at 2/3 value. Over 1% at full value.
6	Damaged, discoloured and chalky grains.	2	3	3	Up to 1% at 2/3 value. Over 1% at full value.
7	Paddy (rice in husk) . . .	0.25	0.25	0.25	Any excess at full value.

NOTE.—The excess of under-milled and inferior rice over the tolerance limit, if any, may be adjusted against the margin under red grains, if there is any, to the extent the contents of red grains fall short of the tolerance limit, but *vice versa* excess of red grains shall not be adjusted against under-milled or inferior rice.

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